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Subject: Re: San Jacinto: Houston Dioxin TMDL stakeholders meeting: 7/14: 1-4pm
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Yes Stephen, let's plan on attending this meeting. Thanks CAS

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Hi Carlos,

I recommend we both go to this next meeting, as well as Donn Walters:

- 1) We can directly provide a site update to the group, instead of hearsay.
- 2) We can get a sense of the direction that the TMDL stakeholders are taking for dioxin and the watershed.
- 3) We can add requested members from this group to our site community list for future meetings and proposed plan.

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Attached is the latest compilation of Houston dioxin TMDL stakeholders (i.e. public meeting attendees), provided to me late yesterday by Carl Masterson. It includes a number of regular attendees as well as the "official" members (some of which were seldom there).

This supplements the older lists sent yesterday.

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TMDL Stakeholders Group.xls

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As Stephen requested, attached are two lists of dioxin stakeholders. As the names suggest, one is the initial membership (circa 2000), and one is the latest names and contact information (circa 2006). One of them was driving the TPWD boat for the tour (Winston Denton). There have been some changes or substitutions since; for instance, Jack Wahlstrom retired and someone else is now representing GCWDA.

PCB TMDL meetings are held in conjunction with dioxin meetings, so involve the same set of stakeholders. The lists include only the "formal panel members" (I am not on the lists, nor are consultants doing the studies), but meetings are open to whomever comes. There are often as many in the audience as at the table, and discussions are open. Other attendees often there include myself (all meetings), UH project team, Parsons project team, Linda Broach and other TCEQ regional staff, Pat Radloff of TPWD (originally reported the pit site), and various interested consultants, lawyers, citizens, and unknown persons. Total number has varied from about 20 to about 60 over the years.

Meetings have always been held at the Houston-Galveston Area Council of Government (H-GAC) offices, and are arranged by Carl Masterson of H-GAC (under contract to TCEQ for such services). They typically have also provided a facilitator to keep things going. Carl or his helpers solicit members for good meeting dates, and send out notices when dates have been established. He also drafts up meeting minutes, as are posted on our website.

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these are two of Carl's staff that you might contact if he is out, both have been at recent meetings:

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We recently set the date for the next meeting to be on July 14, from 1:00-4:00 pm, at the H-GAC Offices on Timmons Drive in Houston. Tentative agenda is for me to outline the draft dioxin TMDL document for them, and maybe brief the group on Superfund activities to date. UH may talk briefly about recently gathered PCB data as well. Of course, if you show up they may want you to talk about Superfund status.

Carl is aware that you have expressed interest in meeting with stakeholders, and will not be surprised if you contact him about that.

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